



NWS PENDLETON

OPEN HOUSE 10 AM-3PM
SATURDAY MAY 22ND



FORECASTING A GREAT 15 YEAR ANNIVERSARY WITH YOU

NOAA's Weather Forecast office in Pendleton, Ore., will host an open house on Sat., May 22. The open house is scheduled from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the National Weather Service forecast office in Pendleton, located at 2001 NW 56th Drive.

The open house will provide the public an opportunity to:

- Visit a weather forecast office
- View the latest weather forecasting technologies.
- An opportunity for the public to meet National Weather Service staff
- See examples of how NOAA benefits their communities.

Activities will include:

- Office tours
- Weather forecasting and warning demonstrations
- Equipment displays, including a new fully-functional cooperative observer weather station.

The history of weather records for downtown Pendleton date back to February 1866. Various locations in downtown Pendleton were used for basic weather observations from November 1889 to April 1926. The U.S. Forest Service took over weather observations at the Pendleton Post Office from July 1926 to June 1930 and later passed the observations over to a public citizen who assumed these responsibilities from July 1930 to June 1935. Weather observations first started at the Pendleton airport in April 1935. The current Pendleton weather forecast office opened on May 4, 1995 and is located on the western portion of the Eastern Oregon Regional Airport.

On the Web:

NOAA's National Weather Service in Pendleton:

<http://www.weather.gov/Pendleton>

